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SUBJECT: OFFICIAL-INFORMAL

1. CALIFANO VISIT. HEW INFORMS US SECRETARY CALIFANO PLANS TO VISIT ROME FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE NEW POPE. PRESUMABLY, THIS WILL BE SOMETIME IN SEPTEMBER. HEW IS AWARE THAT HEALTH MINISTER SLIWINSKI WILL BE IN THE SOVIET UNION FOR A CONFERENCE SEPTEMBER 6-12. IF THE TIMING WERE TO WORK OUT FOR A VISIT TO POLAND AFTER THE PAPAL CEREMONY, SAY IN THE SECOND HALF OF SEPTEMBER, CALIFANO WOULD CONSIDER VISITING POLAND THEN RATHER THAN IN NOVEMBER AS TENTATIVELY PLANNED. WE UNDERSTAND AN HEW OFFICIAL HAS INFORMALLY AND TENTATIVELY MENTIONED THIS TO A POLISH HEALTH OFFICIAL. BEFORE THIS GOES ANY FURTHER, HOWEVER, HEW AND THE DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE THE EMBASSY'S VIEWS.

2. MASS GRAVE MONUMENT AT PYSZNICA. AS YOU KNOW THIS  
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PROJECT HAS BEEN ABORNING FOR SEVERAL YEARS NOW. AT LATEST REPORT (DON BLACK'S MARCH 3 LETTER TO MORRIS KRANTZ) THE POLES HAD DECIDED TO GIVE THE PROJECT A HIGHER PRIORITY AND FINISH IT THIS YEAR. WE NOW HAVE ANOTHER INQUIRY FROM MR. KRANTZ THROUGH CONGRESSWOMAN HOLTMAN'S OFFICE WHICH INDICATES NOTHING HAS YET BEEN DONE. WE ARE PASSING IT TO YOU FOR INVESTIGATION. IN THE

MEANTIME, LET US KNOW IF YOU HAVE LEARNED ANYTHING NEW.

3. JEWISH CEMETARY AT PIOTRKOW TRYBUNALSKI. BY THE SAME TOKEN, WE WONDER IF YOU HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DISCOVER ANYTHING ABOUT THIS QUESTION (SEYMOUR LETTER TO DON BLACK, APRIL 14, 1978). CANTOR ISAAC GOODFRIEND OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA IS INTERESTED. BOB KING OF THE NSC ASKED US AWHILE AGO FOR A STATUS REPORT, SO WE WOULD APPRECIATE WHATEVER YOU CAN PROVIDE.

4. ROBERT SHAPIRO VISA REQUEST. HAS THERE BEEN ANYTHING FURTHER ON THIS? AS WE UNDERSTAND IT, HE IS NOW IN ISRAEL AND HOPES TO GET HIS POLISH VISA IN PARIS.

5. STANISLAW GRAJNY DIVIDED FAMILIES CASE. CAN YOU TELL US ANYTHING ABOUT THIS. HIS WIFE, WHO IS EXPECTING A CHILD IN DECEMBER, TELEPHONED A COUPLE DAYS AGO TO SAY SHE HAD HEARD FROM HER HUSBAND IN KRAKOW THAT THE EMBASSY HAD PLANNED TO SUBMIT HIS NAME ON A REPRESENTATION LIST SOON BUT THEN DECIDED TO POSTPONE IT. CHRISTOPHER

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